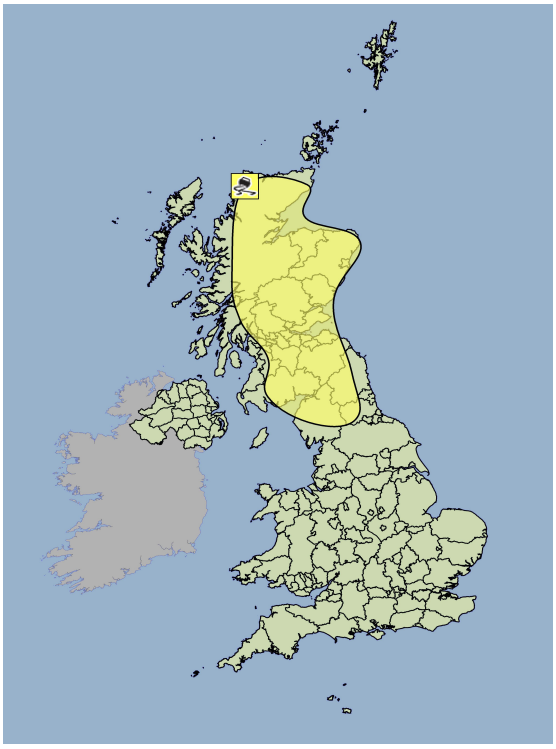
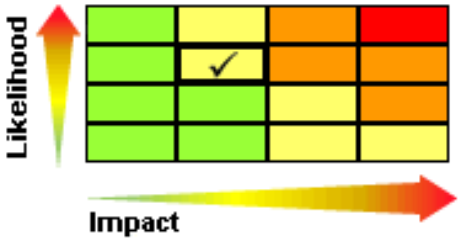
# National Severe Weather Warning Service






**Chief Forecasters Assessment**
A strong, cold northwesterly flow will bring bands of wintry showers to much of northern Britain through the next day or so, with overnight ice the main concern. During the day, March sunshine should mean that falling snow melts quite rapidly between showers, (although some accumulations may still occur on the highest level routes). Overnight and at first on Wednesday, snow (and hail) is more likely to affect some untreated routes, even at lower elevations, compounding the ice risk.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Ice**

Valid from **21:00 on Tue, 31st Mar 2015** until **10:00 on Wed, 01st Apr 2015**

Icy patches are expected to form on untreated surfaces later on Tuesday evening and overnight, following wintry showers which leave surfaces wet. These showers may also leave temporary slight accumulations of snow at lower levels in the north of the warning area, but snow is more likely to affect higher level routes, with 2 cm above 200 metres and 5 cm or so above 400 metres, although primarily on grassy surfaces. Strong winds will lead to drifting and temporary blizzard conditions on the more exposed routes.

The public should be aware of potential hazardous traveling conditions.

**For more details please go to:**
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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